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# 2012 Calendar

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A walk down Parsons Street, by Julie Thorleifson, Mankato





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January 2012  
City Center, by Jenna Hiniker, Mankato



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>New Year's Day</b> <b>1</b>	<b>2</b>  City offices closed Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12	<b>3</b>  Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>  For the latest about Mankato's snow emergencies call 507-387-9001 (24-hour service).	<b>7</b>  Keep fire hydrants and exit ways shoveled for safety.
 <b>8</b>  Adopt a fire hydrant. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.	<b>9</b>  Economic Development Authority, 6 p.m. Mankato City Council, 7 p.m.	<b>10</b>  Mankato Area Public Schools Two-hour late start	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>  MSU Men's Hockey vs. Wisconsin (January 13-14) Verizon Wireless Center	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>  Sign up to receive snow emergency alerts by text message at <a href="http://www.ci.mankato.mn.us/SnowAlerts/Default.aspx">www.ci.mankato.mn.us/SnowAlerts/Default.aspx</a> .	<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</b> <b>16</b>  City offices closed Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12	<b>17</b>  Multi-Modal Committee, 4:30 p.m.  Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>  Latino Engineering and Academic day, MSU 507-389-6125 City/County Intergovernmental Committee, 7 a.m.	<b>20</b>  Vietnamese New Year, MSU 507-389-6125	<b>21</b>  Make sure the lid of your garbage bin is tightly closed so it does not snap off in cold weather.
<b>22</b>  Mankato Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Series 2 p.m., Chapel at Good Counsel	<b>23</b>  Mankato City Council, 6 p.m., with work session to follow	<b>24</b>  Airport Commission, 7 a.m.	<b>25</b>  Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>  Farm Toy Show (January 28-29) Verizon Wireless Center
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>  Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12	<b>31</b>	 Ride the bus with us! It's convenient, reliable and affordable. 507-625-RIDE (7433)	 <b>Silent day in Sibley Park</b> <i>by Julie Thorleifson, Mankato</i>	DECEMBER 2011 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	FEBRUARY 2012 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29

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 Greetings from CHS, a major  
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African-American History Month

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**Heart Health Month**  
 Know the warning signs of heart failure: congested lungs, swelling, dizziness, fatigue, weakness and rapid or irregular heartbeats.





March 2012

Ascending stairs in Sibley Park, by Lucas Hendrickson, Mankato



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4	<p>5</p> <p>Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>Economic Development Authority, 6 p.m.</p> <p>Mankato City Council, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Mankato City Charter approved, 1868 Celebrating 144 years of city service</p>	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	<p>17</p> <p><b>St. Patrick's Day</b></p> <p>Mankato Symphony Orchestra, Family Series 11 a.m., Mankato YMCA</p>
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
<p>Mankato Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Series 2 p.m., Chapel at Good Counsel</p>	<p>Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-8</p> <p>Mankato City Council, 6 p.m., with work session to follow</p>	<p>Airport Commission, 7 a.m.</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12 (March 27-30)</p>	<p>Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.</p>			

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Women's History Month • Music in Our Schools Month


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**Spring planting!**  
 The CHS plant in Mankato processes 40 million bushels of soybeans, most grown by Minnesota farmers, every year.





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1	2 Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m. Mankato City Council work session, 6 p.m.	3	4 Report needed street repairs to the 24-hour street maintenance request line. Call 507-345-0600.	5	6 Asian American Symposium (April 6-7) MSU, 507-389-6125 Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12	7
Easter Sunday 8	9 Economic Development Authority, 6 p.m. Mankato City Council, 7 p.m.	10 Mankato Area Public Schools Two-hour late start	11	12	13	14 Sign up for Verizon Wireless Center Event Mail at <a href="http://verizonwirelesscentermn.com">verizonwirelesscentermn.com</a> .
 15 For keys to success on living with deer call 507-387-8516.	16 Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.	17 Multi-Modal Committee, 4:30 p.m.	18	19 City/County Intergovernmental Committee, 7 a.m.	20	21
Earth Day 22	23 Mankato City Council, 6 p.m., with work session to follow	24 Airport Commission, 7 a.m.	25 Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.	26	Arbor Day 27	28
29 Water main flushing (April 29-May 4), 8:30 p.m. to 5 a.m., daily 24-hour service, 507-387-8661	30	 Reserve the CHS Pergola or other city park facility. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.	 Ride the bus with us! It's convenient, reliable and affordable. 507-625-RIDE (7433)	 Floating trail in lower Rasmussen Woods by Mary Gitter-Zehnder, Mankato	MARCH 2012 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	MAY 2012 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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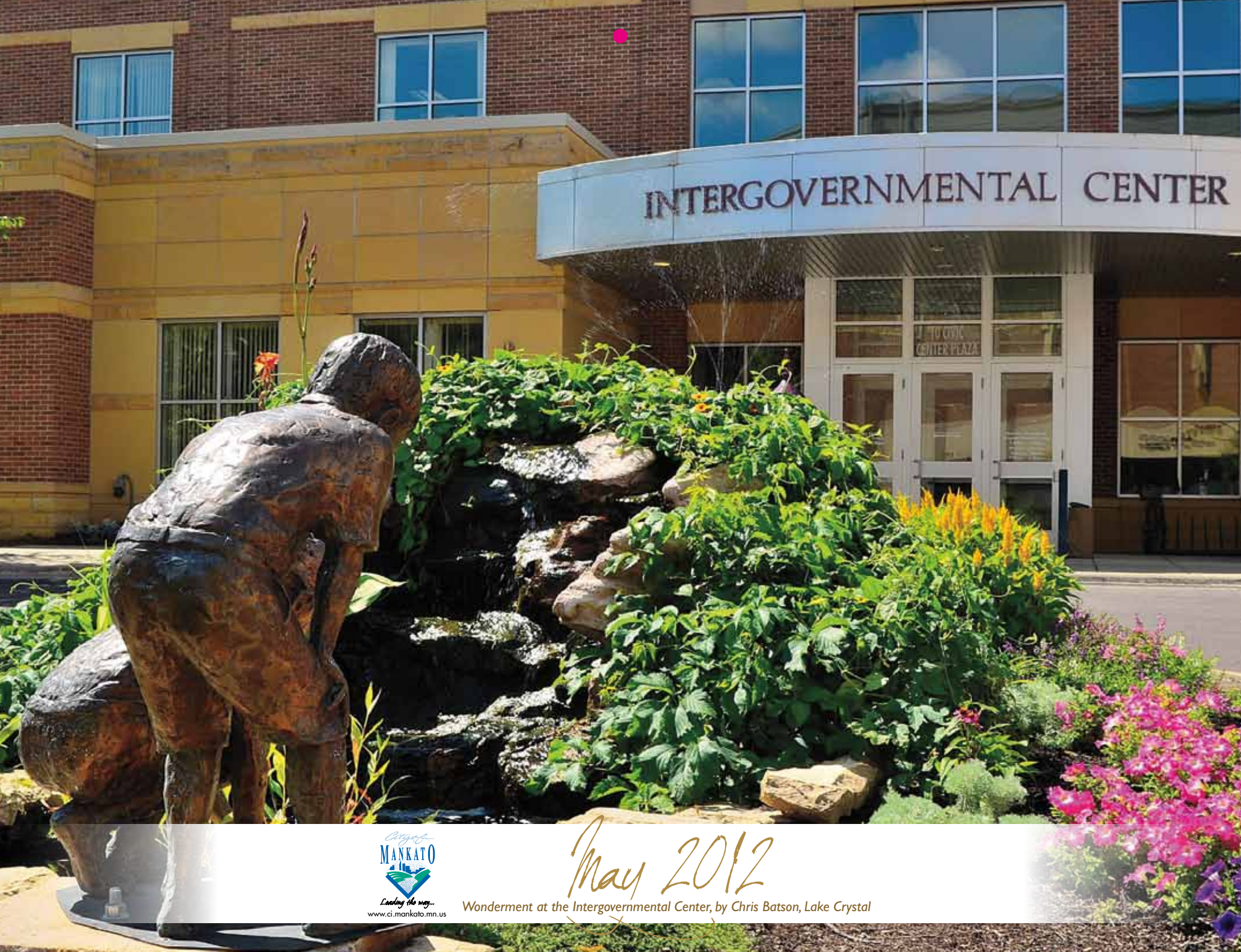
Household Hazardous Waste .....507-304-4242  
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Month of the Young Child

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**Laugh out loud (LOL)**  
Research shows that laughter triggers blood flow and promotes the healthy function of blood vessels.





# INTERGOVERNMENTAL CENTER

May 2012

Wonderment at the Intergovernmental Center, by Chris Batson, Lake Crystal



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<p>6</p> <p>Mankato Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Music Series 2 p.m., Chapel at Good Counsel</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.  Mankato City Council work session, 6 p.m.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools Two-hour late start</p>	<p>9</p>  <p>Mankato residents can choose a 35-gallon or 64-gallon garbage receptacle. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Merely Players Community Theatre "Fiddler on the Roof," 7:30 p.m. (May 11-12) 507-388-LIVE</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Spring Clean-up 7 a.m. to noon, 221 Lamm Street</p>
<p><b>Mother's Day</b></p> <p>13</p> <p>Merely Players Community Theatre "Fiddler on the Roof," 2 p.m. 507-388-LIVE  Mankato Symphony Orchestra 3 p.m., West High School</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Economic Development Authority, 6 p.m.  Mankato City Council, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Senior Expo Verizon Wireless Center  Multi-Modal Committee, 4:30 p.m.</p>	<p>16</p>  <p>Ride the bus with us! It's convenient, reliable and affordable. 507-625-RIDE (7433)</p>	<p>17</p> <p>City/County Intergovernmental Committee, 7 a.m.</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Merely Players Community Theatre "Fiddler on the Roof," 7:30 p.m. (May 18-19) 507-388-LIVE</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Spring Clean-up 7 a.m. to noon, 221 Lamm Street</p>
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 <p>27</p> <p>For keys to success on living with deer call 507-387-8516.</p>	<p><b>Memorial Day</b></p> <p>28</p> <p>City offices closed  Mankato Area Public Schools No school K-12</p>  <p>No garbage/recycling collection</p> 	<p>29</p> <p>Mankato City Council, 6 p.m., with work session to follow</p>  <p>Monday's garbage and recyclables collected</p> 	<p>30</p>  <p>Tuesday's garbage and recyclables collected</p> 	<p>31</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools' GED, diploma completion graduation 7 p.m., Lincoln Community Center</p>  <p>Wednesday's garbage and recyclables collected</p> 	 <p><b>Simple pleasures at Sibley Park</b> by Kendra Bidwell-Mahlenbrock, St. Peter</p>	 <p>Reserve the CHS Pergola or other city park facility. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.</p>

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Asian Pacific American Heritage Month

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**Smile!**  
Take graduation, family reunion and summer event photos at the CHS Pergola and CHS Rock Garden in Sibley Park.





June 2012  
Golf at the Mankato Golf Club, by Ann Sorensen, Mankato



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<p>3</p> <p>Be informed. Subscribe to Mankato news at <a href="http://www.ci.mankato.mn.us/NewsEmail.aspx">www.ci.mankato.mn.us/NewsEmail.aspx</a>.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>Mankato City Council work session, 6 p.m.</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Mankato Area Community Band 7:30 p.m., Sibley Park</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools' Central High School Commencement, 5 p.m.</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools' classes end</p> <p>Mankato Area Public Schools' commencements East High School, 6 p.m. West High School, 8 p.m.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Thursday's garbage and recyclables collected</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Minnesota Air Spectacular (June 9-10) Mankato Regional Airport</p> <p>Arts by the River (June 9-10) Riverfront Park</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Blue Earth County 2012 summer reading program</p> <p>Economic Development Authority, 6 p.m.</p> <p>Mankato City Council, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Mankato Area Community Band 7:30 p.m., Sibley Park</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>  <p>311 or 507-387-8600— One call does it all.</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>
<p><b>Father's Day</b></p> <p>17</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Multi-Modal Committee, 4:30 p.m.</p> <p>Mankato Area Community Band 7:30 p.m., Sibley Park</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>City/County Intergovernmental Committee, 7 a.m.</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>  <p>Mankato's water is tested daily and meets or exceeds all state and federal drinking water standards. 507-387-8661 (24-hour service).</p>
 <p>24</p> <p>Tourtellotte Pool 507-387-SWIM (7946)</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Mankato City Council, 6 p.m. with work session to follow</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Airport Commission, 7 a.m.</p> <p>Mankato Area Community Band 7:30 p.m., Sibley Park</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p> <p>To report traffic light outages call 311 or 507-387-8600.</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Report needed street repairs to the 24-hour street maintenance request line. Call 507-345-0600.</p>

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body, and mind and lowers the  
risk of osteoporosis. Walking at  
a moderate pace (three mph) can  
burn 125 calories in 30 minutes.







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*September 2012*

Wagon Wheel Café in the City Center, by Todd Donery, Minneapolis





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2	<p><b>Labor Day</b></p> <p>3</p> <p>Tourtellotte Pool closes</p> <p>City offices closed</p> <p> No garbage/recycling collection </p>	<p>4</p> <p>Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p> Monday's garbage and recyclables collected </p>	<p>5</p> <p> Tuesday's garbage and recyclables collected </p>	<p>6</p> <p> Wednesday's garbage and recyclables collected </p>	<p>7</p> <p> Thursday's garbage and recyclables collected </p>	<p>8</p> <p>Mankato LGBT Pridefest in Riverfront Park 507-389-6125</p> <p> Friday's garbage and recyclables collected </p>
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Hispanic Heritage Month





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Fall at Glenwood, by Michaela Crnkovic, Mankato



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November 2012

Brrrrrrrrrr! on Riverfront Drive, by Terri DeGezelle, Mankato



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<p>Veterans Day</p> <p>11</p>	12	13	14	15	16	17
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*December 2012*

*Cabin in the snow in Sibley Park, by Sara Palmer, Mankato*



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<b>2</b>  Sign up to receive snow emergency alerts by text message at <a href="http://www.ci.mankato.mn.us/SnowAlerts/Default.aspx">www.ci.mankato.mn.us/SnowAlerts/Default.aspx</a>	<b>3</b>  2013 Public Budget Hearing, 7 p.m.	<b>4</b>  Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>  For the latest on Mankato's snow emergencies call 507-387-9001 (24-hour service).
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 <b>16</b>  Adopt a fire hydrant. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.	<b>17</b>  Mankato Area Public School Board, 5:30 p.m.	<b>18</b>  Multi-Modal Committee, 4:30 p.m.	<b>19</b>  Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.	<b>20</b>  City/County Intergovernmental Committee	<b>21</b>	 <b>22</b>  Make a green choice with online billing and save. Call 311 or 507-387-8600.
<b>23</b>	<b>Christmas Eve</b> <b>24</b>	<b>Christmas Day</b> <b>25</b>  City offices closed	<b>26</b>  Christmas tree recycling at Sibley, Tourtellotte and Highland parks (December 26-January 11) 311 or 507-387-8600	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>New Year's Eve</b> <b>31</b>	 No garbage/recycling collection 	 Tuesday's garbage and recyclables collected	 Wednesday's garbage and recyclables collected	 Thursday's garbage and recyclables collected	 Friday's garbage and recyclables collected

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 Non-emergency ..... 311 or 507-387-8600  
 Mankato City Offices.....507-387-8600  
 Snow Emergency .....507-387-9001

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 Recycle Center .....507-388-1157  
 Water (24-hour service) .....507-387-8661

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## Helpful phone numbers and web addresses

**City offices by appointment** .....507-387-8692

Call between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to schedule an after-hours appointment.

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**24-Hour crime solvers and graffiti hotline** .....507-345-1023

Call to report graffiti and initiate the removal process.

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Call to leave information on needed street repairs.

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Hours (April-October)

Tuesdays, Noon-6 p.m.

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## About the annual Mankato photo contest

Everyone is welcome to participate by submitting original photos of Mankato. Photos must be taken in Mankato city limits within two years of the contest year. The top 12 photos are selected to represent each month of the year. First and second place photos are framed for display at the Intergovernmental Center. Some photos may also receive honorable mention. Photos may be used in city of Mankato communication pieces and on its website. Special thanks to contest judge Pat Christman, a photographer at *The Free Press*.

To enter the 2013 contest, include your name, address, telephone number, photo caption, who took the photo and where the photo was taken on the back of entries and send to:

City of Mankato  
Public Information Office  
10 Civic Center Plaza P.O. Box 3368  
Mankato MN 56002-3368.

Or via email to [cmpi@city.mankato.mn.us](mailto:cmpi@city.mankato.mn.us) or [cmpia@city.mankato.mn.us](mailto:cmpia@city.mankato.mn.us).

Entries are due the last Friday in August. Any identifiable people in winning or honorable mention photos must sign a release form, or if under 18 years of age, a parent/guardian must sign a release in order for the photo(s) to be eligible for use in the city calendar or any other city projects.



Pat Christman, Free Press photographer, judging the city calendar photo contest. More than 350 entries were submitted.

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## EMBRACING our roots by investing in THE FUTURE.

We're proud to give back to the communities we call home. We're connected—from the CHS Pergola in Sibley Park to our donations of time and resources to Mankato's United Way, Salvation Army, 4-H, FFA and ECHO Food Shelf. To learn how CHS is cultivating the future, visit [chsstewards.com](http://chsstewards.com).

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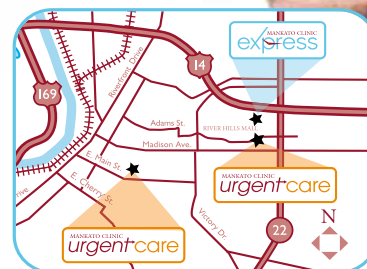
Monday-Friday 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
Saturday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Sunday 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

### two locations:

1230 East Main Street  
(located in the Mankato Clinic @ Main Street)

1809 Adams Street  
(located across from the River Hills Mall)

Call 507-389-8680 for more information.



*Urgent Care is not intended to replace your primary health care provider or for life threatening emergencies. If you need follow-up treatment you will be referred to your primary health care provider. If you do not have a primary care provider-call 625-1811 for more information about establishing one at Mankato Clinic.*

Mankato Clinic Urgent Care services from the Main Street location will be billed to your insurance company as an office location visit. Adams Street services will be billed as an Urgent Care location visit. You should check with your insurance provider directly to ensure your benefit levels.

## InstyMeds Now Available

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Urgent Care on Adams Street and Lake Crystal

InstyMeds is a patient convenience service which allows patients to pick up their prescription immediately after their appointment and pay by debit or credit card. The new system eliminates the need for patients to travel to a pharmacy and wait for a prescription to be filled.

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#### SERVICES:

##### Minor Illnesses

- Strep throat evaluation\*
- Laryngitis
- Ear infection
- Swimmer's ear
- Cold
- Cough/bronchitis:  
ages 10-65 years
- Sinus infection:  
5 years of age & above
- Nasal congestion
- Allergies:  
6 years of age & above
- Conjunctivitis/pink eye
- Urinary tract infection\*:  
females 18 yrs of age & above

##### Skin Conditions

- Swimmer's itch
- Rashes
- Athlete's foot
- Ringworm
- Impetigo
- Shingles
- Cold sores
- Minor burns
- Poison ivy:  
3 years of age & above
- Insect bites or stings

\*lab work may be required

### Mankato Clinic Express Hours

Monday-Saturday 10 a.m.-9 p.m.  
Sunday 11 a.m.-6 p.m.

Patients should be checked in a half hour prior to close.  
Provider is on lunch break from 2:00-2:30 p.m. daily. Minimum age: 18 months. Call 507-389-8507 for billing questions.

Call 507-389-8536 for more information.





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Citizen input is important and helpful when making city decisions. Get involved by serving on a citizen committee. Apply today.

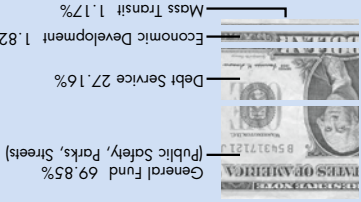
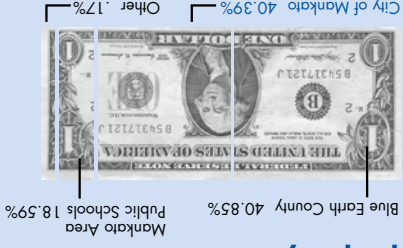
City of Mankato opportunities:

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- Charter Commission
- City Board of Appeal and Equalization
- Heritage Preservation Commission
- Multi-Modal Transportation Committee
- Planning Commission
- Public Safety Advisory Committee

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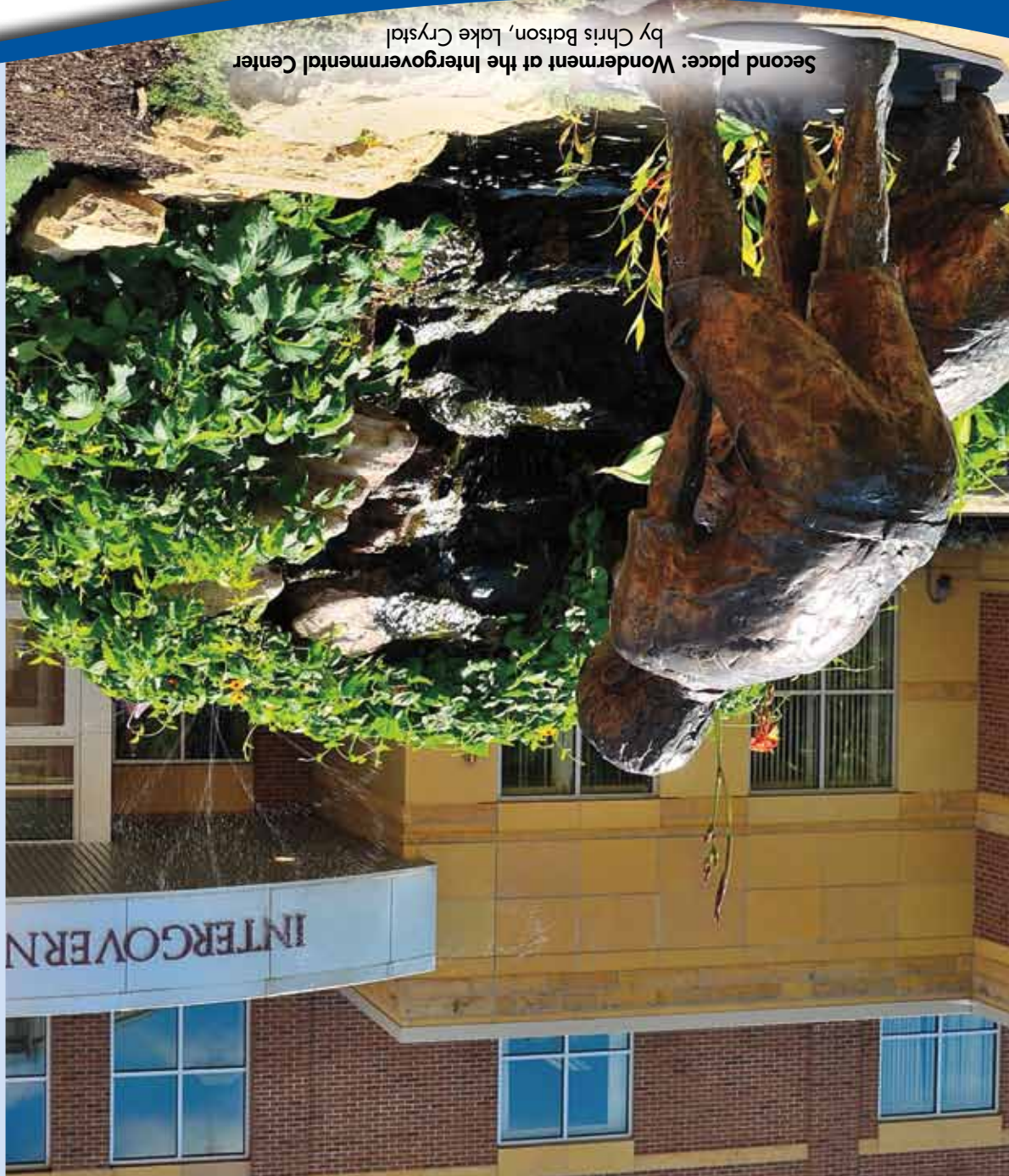
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